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L. COBB, attorney and counsellor at law, Main st. opposite "Carolinian" office. v1n1-1y

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DR. JOSEPH COMMANDER—office Road street, near Leather Hill; residence, Ehringhaus st. v1n1-1y

DR. R. K. SPEED, physician, office over Green & Fearing's store, cor. Road and Ehringhaus sts. v1n1-1y

DR. R. H. McINTOSH, physician, office Road street, formerly old Post office. v1n1-1y

DR. I. T. ANDREWS, Dentist, office in North Caro'lina building. v1n1-1y

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Q. ETHERIDGE & Bro. drugs, chemicals, paints, oils, &c., northeast corner Road and Fearing sts. v1n1-1y

G. JAMES N. BUTT, drugs, chemicals, paints, oils &c. South West corner Church and Road Sts. 45-1y

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S. WEISEL, ladies' dress goods, clothing, hats, boots and shoes, corner Main and Water sts. v1n1-1y

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W. W. BROWN, Groceries, Liquors &c., also, Bowling Alley, Main St. near the Market. 47-1y.

W. M. STEGER, baker, confectionery, groceries, &c., Road st., opposite Col. Martin's office. v1n1-1y

HOTELS.

ALBEMARLE HOUSE, W. H. Smith, proprietor corner of Main and Road sts.

PENDLETON HOTEL, T. D. Pendleton, pro'r, Waterst opposite Clark's Agricultural Warehouse. v1n1-1y

LIVERY STABLES

A. L. JONES, livery stables, old stand, Main street. v1n1-1y

C. B. BROTHERS, Livery Stables, east side Road st. south of Church. v1n1-1y

MISCELLANEOUS.

T. T. RUTTER, Book and Job Printer Carolinian Office, Main Street.

MRS. SARAH LABOYTEAUX, milliner, southwest corner Road and Main sts. v1n1-1y

NORTH CAROLINA MANUFACTURING, LOAN AND TRUST CO'S BANKING HOUSE, one door east of the office of the "North Carolinian." v1n1-1y

C. O. M. SCOTT, life, fire and marine insurance agent, southeast corner Main and Elliott sts. v1n1-1y

JAMES L. SMITHSON practical house painter, Road st., near Main. v1n1-1y

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I. O. O. F.—Achoree Lodge, I. O. O. F., meets at their Hall over Mr. J. Q. Etheridge's Drug Store, every Thursday evening—in Summer at 7½, and in Winter, 6½.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY

ELIZABETH CITY.

Charter election on the first Monday of May.—Meeting of the Board of Commissioners, afternoon of the first Monday of each month. Mayor—George W. Cobb. Commissioners—T. A. Commander, J. H. Ziegler, J. Russell Bass, Lancaster Brothers and Jno. Ballance Treasurer—Geo. W. Bell. Attorney, J. H. Shaw. Clerk—Jos. Commander. Collector—J. H. Miskell. Constable—J. H. Miskell. Auctioneer—A. L. Jones.

POST OFFICE—W. A. Price, Postmaster.

CHURCHES.—First M E Church, Rev Geo. E. Booker, Pastor.—Sunday services at 11 o'clock, a. m. and 7 p. m.—S. School at 9 o'clock, a. m.—Christ Church (Episcopal), Rev M. H. Vaughan Rector.—Sunday School at 9 a. m. Services 10½ a. m., and 4½ p. m. Service in chapel for colored people at 8 p. m.—Baptist Church, Rev R. R. Overby.—Sunday services at 7½ o'clock, p. m., and on the fourth Sunday of each month at 11 o'clock, a. m. Sunday School at 9 a. m.; Prayer Meeting on Sunday mornings (except fourth Sunday), after school.—Zion A M E Church, Rev W R Brooks, Pastor Sunday services at 11 o'clock, a. m., and at 3 and 8 p. m. Sunday School at 9 a. m. Friends Meeting every Sabbath at 3 o'clock, P. M., at the house of Dr. Wm. Underwood.

LODGES.—Achoree, Lodge No 14, I O of O F.—Meets every Thursday evening.——Tulula Encampment No. 8 I. O. O. F., meets on 2d and 4th Tuesday in each month.——Brothers and Sisters of Love and Charity.—Meets alternate Tuesday nights.——Grand United Order of O. F.—Meets at Tulula Thursday nights.

MASONIC.—Eureka Lodge, meets on first Monday night of each month.

PASQUOTANK COUNTY.

Sheriff, Jno L Wood; Clerk Superior Court, William E Vaughan; Treasurer, H C Brothers; Coroner, Miles Commander; Register of Deeds, John T. Price; Surveyor, J. Q. A. Wood; Standard Keeper, A. L. Jones; Commissioners, C. W. Smith, Edmund Daily, J. S. Wilcox, Emanuel Davis and Abraham Morris; Commissioner's Attorney, W. H. Smith.—Representative, F. M. Godfrey.

SUPERIOR COURT—Tenth Monday after the first Monday in March and October. County seat, Elizabeth City.

FIRST CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

Composed of the Counties of Pasquotank, Perquimans, Camden, Currituck, Dare, Tyrrell, Hyde, Beaufort, Washington, Bertie, Hertford, Chowan, Martin, Gates, Northampton and Halifax.

Member of Congress, C L Cobb, Elizabeth City; Collector 1 f Internal Revenue, Wm Barrow, Jackson; Assessor of Internal Revenue, Hiram E Stilley, Washington.

FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

Is composed of the counties of Pasquotank (Court held on 10th Monday after the first Monday in March and October—County seat Elizabeth City,) Bertie, (Court held on 1st Monday in March and October—County seat Windsor,) Camden, (Court 12 Monday after first Monday in March and October) Chowan, (Court 6th Monday after 1st Monday in March and October—County seat Edenton,) Currituck, (Court 14 Monday after the first Monday in March and October—County seat Currituck C. H.) Gates, (Court 4th Monday after the 1st in March and October—County seat Gatesville,) Hertford, Court 2rd Monday in March and October—County seat Winton,) Perquimans, (Court 8th Monday after 1st Monday in March and October—County seat Hertford,) and Dare, (Court in June and January—County seat Roanoke Island,) Judge Hon. J. W. ALBERTSON, Hertford; Solicitor, WILLIS BAGLEY, of Perquimans.

UNITED STATES COURTS.

Judge Circuit and District Courts, George W Brooks, Elizabeth City; Clerk of Circuit Court, N J Biddick, Raleigh; U S Attorney, D H Starbuck, Salem; U S Marshal, A. T. Carrow, Washington. The Terms of the Circuit Courts are as follows:—1st Monday in June, and last Monday in November, at Raleigh. The Terms of the District Courts are as follows: Third Monday in April and October, at Old City; M B Culpepper, Clerk. Fourth Monday in April and October at New Bern; Chas Hibbard, Clerk. First Monday after the fourth Monday in April October, at Wilmington, Wm. Larkins Clerk

BUSINESS CARDS.

NEWS EMPORIUM.

THE undersigned having purchased the Elizabeth City "News Emporium," has removed it to Water Street, where he will keep the Newspapers and Periodicals of the day. Also

STATIONERY.

of all kinds, as Writing Paper, Ink, Pens, Pencils, Blank Books, &c.

P. W. MELICK.

ELIZABETH CITY, June 20th.—6m.

JOHN Q. ETHERIDGE & BRO.,

DEALERS IN PURE

DRUGS,

MEDICINES,

PAINTS,

OILS,

GLASS,

VARNISHES,

PERFUMERY,

AND FANCY ARTICLES.

All staples connected with a first class Drug Business will always be found on hand.

☞ Prescriptions accurately compounded.

32-1y. E. City, N. C. Jan. 20, '70.

A NEW GROCERY AND COFFEE HOUSE.

Capt. WM. ACKERLY has opened a Grocery in his new building, opposite Pendleton's Hotel on Water Street where everything in that line will be kept.

☞ He has also opened an EATING SALOOF where Meals, Oysters and a good cup of Coffee can be had at any time. 31-1yr.

I. A. COHN,

Dealer in

DRY GOODS,

BOOTS,

SHOES,

HATS,

CAPS,

DRESS GOODS

AND GENERAL

MERCHANDIZE.

Water St., Elizabeth City, N. C.

☞ The cheapest place in the City. 3-tf

THE ELIZABETH CITY BAKERY & CONFECTIONERY STORE.

Fresh bread, cakes and pies always on hand Also a good variety of candies, fruits, nuts, figs, raisins, pickles, crackers, cheese, butter—in short everything in the bakery or confectionery line always on hand. Families supplied with bread cakes and pies on reasonable terms. Come and see. WILLIAM STEGER.

Road Street, Elizabeth City. 24-1y

DAVIS' SALOON,

IN THE ALBEMARLE BUILDING

MAIN STREET, E. CITY, N. C.

WM. C. DAVIS, PROPRIETOR.

Keeps the best and purest Liquors, Tobacco, Cigars, etc. Everything in the best style.

37-v4-1yr.

EATING SALOON!

FOWLER'S BUILDING ON WATER ST.

ELIZABETH CITY, N. C.

MEALS at all hours. Special accomodations for Ladies.

☞ Also regular and transient Boarding. Charges moderate.

A. H. ROBINSON,

oa2½l. 4-1y. Proprietor

R. K. SPEED.— —JOHN BLACK.

SPEED & BLACK,

General Life, Fire and Marine In's Ag'ts

S. W. corner of Main and Road St.,

Elizabeth City, N. C.

Capital Represented $40,000,000.

Issues every *desirable* kind of Life Policy, *Mutual and Stock.*

Insurable property placed in *First-class* Companies *at lowest rates.*

Will adjust *Life and Fire* losses in any part of Eastern North Carolina.

April 11th, 1872.-1yr.

A LARGE LOT OF PLASTERING HAIR for sale by Dr. J. N. BUTT, expect to keep the trade supplied permanently with this article at the lowest market price.

MALE HIGH SCHOOL.

I will open a High School for boys in Elizabeth City, N. C., on March 17, 1873.

The first session will continue fifteen weeks, closing on the 30th, of June.

TUITION.

Elementary English per session..... $7.50

Higher English branches..... $11 25

The Classics and high Mathematics $15.00

One half required to be paid in advance the other at the end of the session.

JOHN. P. OVERMAN

E. City, N. C., Mar. 12, 1873.

PROFESSIONAL.

C. C. POOL.— —W. F. POOL.

C. C. & W. F. POOL,

ATTORNEYS AT LAW,

Elizabeth City, N. C.

Practice in all the courts of the First Judicial District. Collections made in any part of the State. Prompt attention given to cases in the Supreme Court.

36-v 4. 1y.

THOS. R. JERNIGAN,

Attorney at Law,

HARRELLSVILLE, N. C.

Collections made in any part of North Carolina.

32.-6m.

C. W. GRANDY, JR.

ATTORNEY AT LAW AND

GENERAL COLLECTOR,

ELIZABETH CITY, N. C.

Office North side of Main Street.

Jan. 13, 1870-1y.

PROFESSIONAL.—

DR. JAS. N. BUTT, Can be found at all hours of the day, at his Drug Store. In consequence of ill health he is engaged almost exclusively in an Office Practice. Those wishing medical attention will find him at home at all hours and avoid the annoyance of hunting a Physician absent on professional duties in the country.

E. City Sept. 15, 1870.

DENTISTRY.

The undersigned has opened an office in Elizabeth City, N. C., for the purpose of practicing Dentistry in all its branches.

☞ Office in the North Carolinian building second story, corner Main and Road streets

I. T. ANDREWS.

1870-tf.

MISCELLANEOUS.

HOUSE, SIGN AND ORNAMENTAL PAINTING.

The undersigned has resumed the business of House, Sign and Ornamental PAINTER, and respectfully tenders his services to the public in that line of business.

His reputation as a painter is well known in this, and the surrounding counties; and the promptness with which he has heretofore acted, and the faithfulness with which all work entrusted to him has always been done, he hopes will again insure him a liberal patronage.

THOMAS R. BLAND.

Elizabe City, N. C., Sept. 30, 1869-1y.

LOOK HERE.

A NEW STORE AND NEW GOODS.

We take pleasure in informing our friends that we have opened a NEW STORE on South Road Street, which we have filled up with Dry Goods, Groceries, Hats, Caps, Boots, Shoes, Candies and Notions, all of which we will sell at lowest prices.

☞ We pay the highest price for Cotton Corn, Rags and Produce. Give us a call.

BENJ. B. JOHNSON,

JAMES C. JOHNSON.

E. City, N. C., Nov. 21st, 1872.

BRICK! BRICK!!

AT THE ELIZABETH CITY BRICK YARD

I am prepared to furnish Brick at all times and in quantities to suit purchasers. Parties desiring brick for building, paving, or for any other use, are respectfully solicited to call at my yard and examine for themselves both as to quality and price.

E. B. BROWER.

ELIZ. CITY, Jan. 18th, 1872-1y.

PENDLETON'S HOTEL,

ELIZABETH CITY, N. C.

T. D. Pendleton, Proprietor.

This well-known house is located conveniently for the traveling public, being near the boat landing. Especial attention is taken to make guests comfortable. Charges moderate. 22-1y

PAILIN'S STORE.

The place to get your money back is to buy your

DRY GOODS,

GROCERIES,

AND NOTIONS

at Capt. JOHN PAILEN'S Store,

on Road Street, at the end of Shepard. Be sure and give me a call.

JOHN PAILIN.

E. City, N. C., Dec. 18th, 1871.-1yr.

HO! For the Fall and Winter Trade.

HEAD QUARTERS AT THE CANAL BRIDGE.

Merchandize of all kinds and Groceries of the best qualities always on hand.

STOVES! STOVES!!

Also a splendid assortment of Stoves.

COME AND GIVE ME A CALL.

C. B. BROTHERS.

Elizabeth City, N. C.

HAVING SECURED THE SERVICES OF THE best mechanics in each of the departments, and giving my own particular attention to all work done at my shop, I feel safe in saying that my work will compare favorably with that of any of the large cities. All I ask is an examination of my work to convince those in want of any kind of a vehicle that this is the place to buy them.

Repairing done at short notice and at reasonable rates. Give me a call.

JNO. S. WAUGH.

Elizabeth City, Nov. 25, 1869.-tf.

J. M. MATHEWS,

WATCH MAKER AND JEWELER,

HAVING located in the Road St. 2 doors from Main Elizabeth City, N. C. is prepared to operate in the Watch Maker and Jeweler business in all its departments. He respectfully solicit a share of patronage.

April 18th, 1872.-1yr.

BUGGIES AND CARRIAGES!

FROM one of the best Manufactories in the United States, (McLear and Kendell, Wilmington Del.) I have and will continue to recieve a full assortment of BUGGIES, with and without tops, which I will sell very cheap. Also Harness, Saddles, Bridles, Whips, &c., also on hand. As I deal direct from the Manufacturers I can sell at prices to defy competition. Orders respectfully solicited Road street near Main, Elizabeth City, N. C.

Dec. 7. 1871-1y. MILES COMMANDER.

"THE OLD MERCHANT"

S. Weisel,

Corner Main and Water Streets,

ELIZABETH CITY, N. C.

Dealer in all kinds of Foreign and Domestic Dry Goods, Linens, Cloths, Cassimeres, Clothing, Trimmings, Silks, and Fancy Dress Goods. Also Hats, Caps and the very best assortment of Boots and Shoes.

☞ The best assortment and quality of Goods kept in the City.

April 11th, 1872.-1yr.

FURNITURE!

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Ho ye that need anything in the line of

FURNITURE

GO TO THE

FURNITURE STORE

ON

WATER STREET,

ELIZABETH CITY, N. C.

AND MAKE YOUR SELECTION

P. W. MELICK.

Nov 6th, 1872.—tf.

MISCELLANEOUS

For over FORTY YEARS this

PURELY VEGETABLE.

LIVER MEDICINE has proved to be the

GREAT UNFAILING SPECIFIC

for LIVER COMPLAINT and its painful offspring, DYSPEPSIA, CONSTIPATION, Jaundice, Bilious attacks, SICK HEADACHE, Colic, Depression of Spirits, SOUR STOMACH, Heartburn, CHILLS AND FEVER, &c., &c.

After years of careful experiments, to meet a great and urgent demand, we now produce from our original *Genuine Powders*

THE PREPARED.

a liquid from of SIMMONS' LIVER REGULATOR, containing all its wonderful and valuable properties, and offer it in

ONE DOLLAR BOTTLES.

The Powders, (price as before,) $1.00 per package.

Sent by mail..... .....1.04

☞ CAUTION! ☜

Buy no Powders or PREPARED SIMMONS' LIVER REGULATOR unless in our engraved wrapper, with Trade mark, Stamp and Signature unbroken. None other is genuine.

J. H. ZEILIN & CO.,

MACON, GA., and PHILADELPHIA.

SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS.

PHOTOGRAPH GALLERY.—

Having purchased Winner's Gallery I take this method of announcing to my friends and the public that I will continue the business in all its departments. Having had over a dozen years experience I flatter myself to be able to give full satisfaction. My instruments and material are all of the very best. My sky light is of the latest improved, enabling me to take pictures in cloudy weather as well as clear. All work guaranteed or the picture taken over or the money refunded.

WM. C. DAWSON.

E. City, May 11, 1871.—tf.

J. S. LISTER.— —THOS. O. TOWE

NEW GOODS

AT VERY LOW PRICES AT THE

STORE OF

LISTER & TOWE,

On ROAD ST, 2 DOORS South of Lawrence,

ELIZABETH CITY, N. C.

The stock comprises a well made selection of all kinds of general merchandize which will be sold at the very lowest possible prices.

Call and examine before purchasing elsewhere. 18-tf.

W. T. JORDAN,

Dealer In

PURE WINES, LIQUORS, GROCERIES, &c.

LAGER BEER,

Only 5 cts. per glass.

☞ Fresh LAGER on hand all the time. ☜

ROAD ST., 2 DOORS NORTH OF MAIN,

41-6m. Elizabeth City, N. C.

THE RED FLAG.

Ah! what does that Red Flag mean on Water Street? It means that is the place to get all your old tin ware repaired, such as, coffee pots, tea pots, oil cans, etc., etc.

Tin Ware Wholesale and Retail.

N. B. Old Stoves Repeired.

H. O. HILL.

E. City, N. C., March 14th, 1872.

38-tf.

BANKING HOUSES.

NORTH CAROLINA

MANUFACTURING, LOAN AND TRUST COMPANY.

Incorporated by the N. C. Legislature, with Liberal Banking Privileges.

Office: Elizabeth City, N. C.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

GEO. D. POOL, *Pres't.;* R. F. OVERMAN, *Cash.*
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Deals in Exchange, Sight Drafts, Gold and Silver Coin, Government and other Securities, etc.

Uncurrent Bank Notes bought and sold on reasonable terms.

July 15, 1869-1y.

GUIRKIN & CO.

BANKERS & BROKERS,

COBB'S BRICK BUILDING, ROAD ST,

Elizabeth City, N. C.

Do a general Banking business,

Buy and Sell, Gold and Silver, Domestic and Foreign Exchange,

Deal in State, County and Corporation Bonds and Stocks.

☞ *Interest allowed on Deposits.*

Also Agents for FIRST CLASS LIFE, FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE COMPANIES.

Policies effected at lowest rates and in best Companies in the world. 28-tf.

LIVERY STABLES.

JONE'S LIVERY STABLES

At Elizabeth City, N. C.

I would announce to my friends and the public that I am still at the old place on Main street, a few doors west of Road, and keep horses, buggies, carriages, &c., for hire. Persons promptly accommodated at all times and on reasonable terms.

ARTHUR L. JONES.

Mar. 17, 1870.-38—1y.

LIVERY STABLES

AT ELIZABETH CITY, N. C.

The subscriber takes this method of informing his old friends and the public generally that he is still at the "old stand" and continue to keep horses, buggies, carriages &c., for hire. persons accommodated at all times and on reasonable terms. Remember the place—on Road street near the canal bridge.

C. B. BROTHERS

Poetry.

Mama's Darling.

A little chair,
A rubber rattle,
Sweet blue eyes,
A baby's prattle;
A rosy mouth,
A dimple chin,
Curling lashes,
Waxen skin—
Mamma's darling.

A little wild bud,
Opening ever,
Purest foliage,
Fragrant Treasure;
An angel blossom,
A gift of love,
A precious tribute
From above—
Mamma's darling.

Selected Story.

A Story of a Bachelor.

There is no doubt in my mind that women were placed upon earth principally in order to cause unhappiness to men; and this I say both from observation, and also, to speak candidly, from sad personal experience.

Nor do things improve as one grows older; for, in my opinion, first love, puppy love or whatever else you may choose to call it, is a disease much more easily cured than that divine madness which sometimes seizes upon the masculine sex in later years.

About three years ago, having discovered that an angel vision visited my lonely pillow every night, and scarce ever quitted my side by day, even during business hours, upon a close examination of my inner self, I concluded that I, too, had become a victim to that fell disease from which no man may live his allotted time upon earth in freedom. In plain language, I found myself head and ears in love with a delightful young girl of sixteen.

Moreover, finding myself already past the sad Rubicon of thirty, and actuated by the mournful reflections above stated, that to escape this universal disease is impossible, and that when warded off until later years it becomes only the more fatal, I gave way to the malady which had seized upon me, and so far from driving away the aforesaid image which dwelt continually with me, I did all in my power to invite the celestial spirit, and, furthermore, deliberately made up my mind to request the actual presence of the fair original whenever the proper time should arrive—that is to say, when she should have finished school.

Now this request, in imagination, I very easily made, but somehow or other, when it came to the *bona fide* carrying ou. thereof, I found myself suddenly so weak in the knees that had I not been seated, I should certainly have lost my balance and fallen to the ground. and had not the sofa upon which I was accustomed to sit been a remarkably comfortable one, I would have experienced a sensation of faintness amounting to sea sickness—and from this any one may judge of the vehemence of my emotions.

Thanks, however, to the comfortable sofa, and more, perhaps, to the resolution that I would put matters off until next evening, I never actually either fell upon the floor nor fainted quite away.

The object of my worship, who on these occasions was seated beside me, perceived nothing of these internal sensations, save a pallor which spread itself over my countenance, and which from ott repetition became an habitual thing.

This, however, only caused me to appear poetical and interesting in the eyes of my beloved, thus causing the roses to bloom more beautifully than ever upon her cheek, and her eyes to shine more brightly than they would otherwise have done.

The effect produced was electrical and mutual, and being thus prepared, my readers will not be astonished to learn that one evening the gas being lowered (on account of the mosquitoes), Lavinia's father and mother having gone to church, the younger children having been sent to bed, the servants being in the kitchen, and there having been for some time no ring at the door bell—in consequence of this exquisite combination of circumstances, Lavinia and I found ourselves (neither of us could ever tell how), our hands clasped, the ice broken, the roses blooming with astonishing brilliancy on both our cheeks, and—if I should say more, I should spoil what I have said. I only know that an instinct warned me of the approach of ten o'clock, at which time her father and mother might be expected to enter, and therefore I left her, but not until I had imprinted one dear, delicious, bashful kiss upon her lovely lips.

How closely united in this life are the romantic and the practical! Following upon that evening came the next morning, during the course of which I found myself closeted with the father and discoursing upon stocks, bonds, real estate, business prospects and other kindred matters, upon all of which I was armed to the teeth and fully prepared.

Thus the affair was settled, with but one saving clause, which was that on account of Lavinia's youth the grand finale should be delayed for the space of two years. Her father also made a request of me, which I thought a cruel one, but being from the force of circumstances in a submissive and yielding frame of mind, I gave way.

This was that in consideration of her youth I should not see my Divinity for the space of that time, during which her character would acquire strength, and her affection for me, if real would only increase.

Being a man of honor, I determined to, keep my promise, and knowing this to be impossible unless some impassable barrier divided us, I resolved to place the roaring ocean between us, and moved also by consideration of gain, I went to China.

Meantime, I awaited with difficulty the rolling away of the appointed two years, and calculating the time which would be consumed by the voyage, I set sail in order to arrive in New York by the endiug of my probation.

Passing over the long voyage, during which a fearful contest was waged between sickness on the one hand and devotion to my inamorata on the other, and leaving in the background all the varied little disagreeableness of landing, I will, together with my respected self, transport my reader to the door steps of the stately mansion which sheltered the beloved of my soul.

In as much as I had lingered on the way in order to render my toilet as elegant as possible, the street lamps being lighted when I finally reached my destination.

Darkness was falling on the earth, but through the surrounding gloom my spirit soared aloft sustained by celestial visions—visions of my youthful charmer, all grace and innocence, yielding gently to my impassioned greeting. More beautiful than ever I was assured that she had grown, and as to her constancy I doubted not for a moment.

I reached the house, and with a heart bursting from too much happiness, ascended the high brown stoop, affected as I did so almost to tears by the thought that very soon now I should purchase a high-stooped brown stone house of my own, and that she and I would day by day ascend and descend the same in company together, made one forever.

Strange to say, the door stood open, and I knew not by what impulse, but probably because I was transported beyond the bounds of sense and in the mood to do unlikely things, I entered without ringing, and advanced unannounced into the drawing room.

Overcome for the moment, I seated myself on a sofa, the outline of which half showed itself in the twilight, for the gas had not been lit.

I heard voices. Voices from the inner parlor.

What!

The voice of my charmer!

Angelic sound!

Enraptured, I held my breath to listen.

"He might be here any day; the steamship is due."

Heavens! What happiness! Her whole soul evidently wrapped in mine!

Thinking, talking of my coming!

Involuntarily, I grasped my vest pocket in which lay an elegant jewel case, a greeting present for my darling.

But I must hear those tones again.

I did.

Softly, sweetly, she continued.

"I don't know what I shall say to the silly goose: I wish he would stay away."

"Silly goose! silly goose!"

That could not be myself. Impossible. But a cold shudder ran from the top of my head to the soles of my new boots.

Now, I *must*, I *would* hear.

I heard.

"He is getting bald too."

"Bald," though I, and I put my hand to my head.

Sure enough, I was a little bald. Of course I had known it all along, but, then—well, this was suspicious.

I *must* hear the rest.

I heard:

"Just think of it—nearly forty years old, and getting bald!"

Between thirty and forty; that was my age.

"And I only eighteen."

My love was eighteen, precisely.

"Girls of fifteen are so silly. He took advantage of me, for indeed a child of that age thinks she is in love with anybody. He happened to be the first one, and I knew no better. Now I am a young lady and know my own mind. I know that I care only for you. But here is the difficulty. The old creature has made money out there in China, and papa will be angry with me if I do not marry him."

No more doubtings. No more fears.

It was I she had called "the old creature."

To *whom* did she speak?

A masculine voice replied, "Your own Charles will make money too."

The voices ceased and a slight rustling was heard.

A flash!

A servant had come in to light the gas. A moment more and the front parlor would be illuminated. Quick, now or never.

A rush, and I was gone.

Gone through the open door; gone down the high stoop.

And my visions?

Gone, too.

I could have forgiven all, but that she had called me the "old creature!"

Communicated.

The Dignity of Labor.

To the Editor of the North Carolinian;

In a recent editorial you struck the right chord when speaking of the dignity of labor, and it is to be hoped that the time will soon come when common sense and honest toil will be appreciated, and the utopian ideas of the past beforever buried.

A great defect in our education has been that our young men have been taught to regard only the professions as suitable for genteel people, or adapted to genious, whilst those occupations which tend to develope the resources of the country, and to build up waste places have been considered undignified if not low.

Enterprise has been looked on as a yankee characteristic, and every innovation on the customs handed down to us from a remote ancestry has been fought against and derided until men were afraid to espouse them lest they might be considered fanatical or foolish.

I am speaking now more with reference to our ideas twenty years ago, for within the last few years there has been a decided improvement in such things.

I well recollect that an old neighbor of mine "a well to do man in the world" used the same implements with which his father had cultivated his lands. His wooden mould-board, or bull tongue plows scratched the surface, and every year the corn stalks diminished in size, and "the nubbins grew shorter" until the ground was more profitable for broom straw than for corn. He was a Bourbon, "never learned anything and forgot nothing" and doubtless would have continued in the beaten track all his life, but for the revolution brought about by a young relative. He had lived in the North, and learned something of improved implements and skilled labor, and when he came back to live with the old gentleman, utilized some of the ideas he had learned abroad. Both are now dead, but the good that one did lives after him, and the old gentleman's real estate is to-day more valuable than it was fifteen years ago.

Yet the merit of the young man has never been appreciated, though more substantial good was wrought by his manual labor than has resulted from the learned dissertations of any profissional man in the community.

A great mistake heretofore made by our young people has been that they expected to begin life where their parents left off. They seemed to forget that the fortunes which descended to them, were the accumulations of years, and in their pride they would *not* remember that some sturdy ancestor who laid its broad foundations was "the architect of his own fortunes" and it the result of hard work.

Educated Artisans and Mechanics have been "cold shouldered" out of fashionable society, until men seeing that social respectability was only for lawyers, doctors, preachers and gentlemen of leisure shunned the useful occupations and became street corner loafers or noisy politicians.

Our ancestors too, were somewhat to blame, for after a careful survey of their children they generally selected the fool of the family for the farmer, and sent the other boys to college to improve their time in cards, whiskey and polite literature So for generations we have been taught to regard manual labor as undignified.

Nor can it be said that since the war our leading men, by example, have done much to encourage others to labor. Most of those who led public opinion, or flashed their swords in the smoke of battle, have rested from their labors, in the inviting repose of the Insurance agencies. Some of the big guns of the revolution are walking advertisements for hated yankee wholsale tailoring establishments or expand their genious in teaching ladies the mysteries of Sewing Machines.

Who can blame the young men, if after the war, they did flow to the North in hosts as countless as the followers of Mahomet in their pilgrimages to Mecca? We are a great people—we can talk prodigiously. For the last five or six years we hear of agricultural Fairs all over the country. Rail-road companies inform the public that extra accomodations have been made to transport articles and passengers, and communities of merchants and hotel proprietors have been sent out to drum up the people. For weeks the papers are full of the Fair; the rural districts are agitated; the people are wild, young ladies and old ones consult their dressmakers and arrange their toilets, and young men spend their whole crops with fashionable tailors. The eventful day comes, the crowd assembles, and by dint of hard work and tight squeezing, gets within the enclosure. And what is next? Whilst all are examining the articles on exhibition, a blast from the Brass Band, announces the approach of a gorgeous cavalcade; the gates are thrown open and under the tall arches pass the chief marshal Major General Fitz-Herbert La Grange, accompanied by his first assistant Col. Eustace De Lancy, and thirty subs, in all the pride and circumstance of power, their red and blue regalias fluttering in the breeze like streamers from a pleasure yacht, and gallop their prancing steeds around the track amid the loud huzzas of the crowd.

Then comes "the address," Hon Felix Vox, who actually doesn't know the difference between Oats and Rye (undistilled) is the orator. He compliments the ladies on the array of beauty (all swallow that pill, pretty and homely alike) talks of the bone and sinue of the land, quotes a few lines from "the Georgies" and then spreads himself on the political issues of the day. The war is fought over, the usual panegyric on the soldier boys repeated; and the oration closes with a wild appeal to the bitter prejudices of the crowd.

Professor Sulphato of the Lodi Manufacturing Company is then introduced, and for two hours worries the crowd with a dissertation on the chemical properties of some manipulated fertilizers, after which all adjourn to Floral Hall.

The old men are assigned honorable positions on the tasting committees; the married ladies deal out the provisions, and the girls cary on flirtations with the marshal and his subs.

The next performance is a Tournament. The young men who were not so fortunate as to get on the Marshals Staff resolve themselves into a company of Knights, and with long sticks punch at an ivory ring hung on a hook as their horses fly around the track at John Gilpin speed. M Julias Von Amringe, the Knight of the Bleeding Heart crowns Miss Minnie De LaFere, queen of Love and Beauty; and from her royal hand receives his patent of nobility Lord keeper of my castle in the air.

The last part of the programme is the slow race. This is a trial of speed between the slowest mules in the country. The animals are all brought forward and stationed, and in breathless silence the assembled thousands watch the race and cheer most lustily when the heat is won by a son of a jackass rejoicing in the high sounding name of Balam.

The Fair is over. The old ladies retire to their nurseries and the soothing effects of paregoric. The young people go to a masquerade Ball when Sir Walter Raleigh dances a minutte with a pious nun and they dance all night 'till the broad day light. The old gentlemen and the orator go down town to some Hall and organize an agricultural club, and after getting off some wretched puns and a good quantity of nonsense adjourn for one year from date, and betake themselves to oyster fries and whiskey punches.

And just here Mr. Editor, my dinner bell is ringing, and this letter will close.

DIO.

Miscellaneous.

Ingenious Rascality.

There are a great number of National bank notes in circulation in which, although genuine enough as far as they go, do not really represent their face value because they have been "narrowed" by cutting strips "lengthwise" from some of the notes. At the vairous banks numbers of them are met with every day and refused as acknowledgments of their full value. The notes most commonly operated upon are those of the denomination of $5. The mode of procedure is to cut a number of notes in such divisions as will insure ten "made up" notes out of nine that have been cut. The cutting is performed with such nicety that the joining of the edges is almost imperceptible. These cut notes can be easily detected by the least observant person, for they are much narrower than those that are whole. The carelessness of trades people, however, has encouraged the production of these notes, and nothing but a sharp examination of money received and the rejection of the kind of bills alluded to, will stop this business of tampering with the currency.

Here is philanthropy for you, and in Connecticut, too! A good-natured Danbury man has broken in 165 pairs of boots for friends during the last ten years. It is not improbable, however, that he charged something for the service. They have a way of doing that sort of thing in some of the New-England States.

Kiss Me.

A very funny incident occured a few days since at a certain store in the city. It is too good to be lost. One of our composers has written a very pretty song entitled "Kiss me." A very pretty, blushing maid, having heard of the song, and thinking she would get it, stepped into the music store

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A CHAPTER ON NEATNESS.

We are, always have been, and ever expect to be an admirer of "woman, lovely woman." We can say with the Poet that

"Woman! whose form and whose soul
Are the spell and the light of each path we pursue,
Whether sunn'd in the tropics, or chilled in the pole,
If woman be there, there is happiness too!"

And yet, if there is anything on this green earth we abominate it is a slattern, one who is untidy in dress. And the truth must be told—there is many a bundle of street sweetness, who is smiles and politeness to those she meets as acquaintances, who at home is untidy, even to slovenliness with herself, and disagreeable to all who do not humor her foolish unlady like whims. And these, alas, are evidences of bad temper, and ungoverned disposition, and a sure ticket for future unhappiness.

Neatness is the parent of thrift. Disorder is the bringer of trouble Many a young lady goes on the street to look her prettiest—and how pretty they do look—leaving a mother or a sister to put her room in order, hang up the articles of dress she has left scattered, or empty slops of her own making. Such girls make the poorest housekeepers. They convert a home into a snarl. If a woman is not neat her home will not be in order. Her bad habits will be adopted by her children, and if her husband is one of those slingers who throws a hat in one place, an overcoat in another, overshoes somewhere else, and scatters his wardrobe all over the house, the family might as well live in a rag bin as to attempt a parlor.

We remember on a time we had occasion to pass through the house of a friend. The parlor was very neat. In the hall things were in order. But in other rooms there was dirt, disorder and marks of a slovenly housekeeper. The windows were dirty. Edges of the doors were marked with grease where dirty hands had taken hold instead of the knob. Dirt had been brushed into corners of the rooms which looked as if they had not been swept thoroughly in weeks or months. Articles of dress were thrown here and there. An old hoopskirt occupied the middle of the room, while a dirty towel snuggled lovingly in a rocking chair. A name could be written with a finger in the dirt on a table, while everything had an air of slam-bang-a-tiveness clearly indicating style for show and filth for comfort.

Ah, not *all* who wear "boughten hair," carry newspapers behind, put on smirks and smile so sweetly on men are worth marrying. A girl or woman who is not neat and tidy at home, will not be either when she becomes a wife. Mothers! a responsibility rests upon you. Do not allow your daughters to grow up slatterns. When they grow up and leave the maternal wing they will bless you for your thoughtful care.

LET US HAVE SMALLER FARMS.

There are too many large farms and plantations in the South. The time has come when they should be divided and sub divided and sold to actual settlers—to those who will cultivate and improve them.

The attention of the people of the North is being directed to the inviting fields of our genial region. The small farmers there who have accumulated competencies, and who are anxious to enlarge their means, see and see plainly, that the South offers attractions not offered in that section. Our climate is milder than their climate; our facilities for cheap transportation and communication with the markets are so much better than theirs; our seasons for vegetables and fruits are so much earlier than their seasons that many, very many are now looking Southward. But one difficulty in the way is, our land holders offer them too much land. They want small farms.

Hence, we repeat, our land must be divided up to meet this want. Then we will have immigration of the kind we desire, not adventurers, but of the class who make good and valuable citizens—those who will come to be of us and with us and for us, because our interests will be their interest and their interest will be ours. We want such settlers among us. We want those who are industrious and thrifty and enterprizing. A number have already come. Others will follow.

One of the reasons why we urge the building of manufacturing establishments—Factories and Mills—is that they will aid in keeping our money here at home, to circulate among our own people instead of having it sent North. Such establishments would keep the money right where the raw products grow and would avert the annual cash famine which regularly prevails here. Once built and put in operation the tide of money would set towards our section and it would be kept up all the year round.

WILL A COTTON FACTORY PAY?

This question is frequently asked, and we unhesitatingly answer it affirmatively. Indeed so far as the South is concerned it has already been well demonstrated. We are constantly hearing of instances in which large and remunerative profits have rewarded those who have had the foresight to embark in such enterprizes, while communities have become prosperous and idle hands found employment through their instrumentality. An intelligent cotemporray has called attention to the fact that in our neighboring State of Georgia we find that the Eagle and Phœnix Manufacturing Company, located in Columbus, report profits equal to 24 per cent. of the capital invested, by the operations of the past year, while the Columbus Manufacturing Company report 23 per cent.; and the Roswell Factory 9 per cent. for the last six months of 1872. The factories of Macon and Augusta have also been steadily yielding handsome profits, which we have every assurance will compare favorably with those of the factories of Columbus. In Virginia, where these factories are in operation, the results have been equally encouraging. In fact, we have reliable data to the effect that the cotton mill in Petersburg, which runs one hundred looms and three thousand and twenty-two spindles, yielded a net profit in 1872 of 25 per cent. on its capital stock. The reports from Northern mills, where the facilities for runing them are nothing to compare with our own, the profits are said to have been from 8 to 12 per cent. for the year just closed. There is every inducement for our people to invest in enterprises of this character. There can be no such word as fail, as what can be accomplished in Georgia, Virginia and other States can most assurely be accomplished here. There can certainly be no investment which will be so certain and satisfactory in its results, or one calculated to add more speedily and effectually to the commercial importance of our city than one or more well conducted cotton factories. Who will be the first to put the ball in motion?

AN OLD ENEMY UNDER A NEW NAME.

The Democratic party has at last found its Moses. HENDRICKS, of Indiana, is reported as the coming man who is to lift Democracy from the gutter and place it upon the throne of political power. He has already had a conference with his antiquated friends who have grown old waiting for office, and has assured them that if they will follow him he will lead them into the promised land. This Indiana statesman, it is understood, proposes a radical change of programme. He has not as yet advised his friends to join the Republican party, but he has done the next thing to it—advised them to drop the Democratic name and assume a title that will at least disguise the old material, and convey to the public an idea of patriotism and honesty. This is a bold step, but a leader to be worth anything must be bold; so in this new departure HENDRICKS proves himself a leader. He calls upon his followers to make a great sacrifice, but as they have nothing to lose except a name and everything to gain, it is quite probable that this latest political prophet will have a respectable following. We are willing to do all we can to help HENDRICKS in this labor of love. The old Democratic party has been galvanized into life so many times that we are in sympathy with anything that will permit the old shell to be buried from sight, in a grave so deep and secure that no political resurectionist can disturb its remains hereafter. What GREELEY commenced we sincerely hope HENDRICKS will finish. If he can succeed in demoralizing the name of Democracy the reformation will be complete, for there has been nothing let but the name for the past ten years. For the sake of human civilization we trust that HENDRICKS will be encouraged in his good work. He has some tough customers to deal with, but if he has faith enough to wrestle in the good cause, he may before the close of the century see the consumation of his hopeful dreams.

A FRIGHTFUL OCEAN DISASTER.

On the 1st of April the Steam Ship Atlantic, bound from Liverpool to New York, was wrecked on the coast of Nova Scotia, some thirty miles from Halifax. She had about 900 passengers on board, of whom over 500, men, women and children went down to watery graves. Many of these poor drowned creatures were immigrants bound to this country. The harrowing details, as given by those who were saved, of the struggle in the sea, the wild confusion, the cries and prayers, and the bubbling groans amid the howling gale make the heart sick in contemplating how pitilessly the cold waves have swallowed up so much of life and love and hope.

With the exception of the wrecks of the British frigates St. George and Defence off the coast of Jutland in 1811 in which 2000 men were drowned, this is the greatest disaster of the century. At the wrecking of the Royal George on the Anglesea coast in 1856, 446 lives were lost. In the same year the Pomona was cast away on Black Water Bank and 395 men were drowned. On the coast of Newfoundland in 1834 the Arctic went down with 300 passengers, and in 1866 on the same coast the Hungarian was cast away with 220 people. In January last the Northfleet was sunk in the English Channel by which 325 people were swept out of the world. And now comes the wreck of the Atlantic.

THE VICTORY IN RHODE ISLAND.

Although Rhode Island almost invariably gives Republican majorities, it is something unusual to carry it by such large majorities as were given the Republican candidates on the 2nd inst. The election of a Governor by nearly 6,000 majority, all the other State candidates, except the Lieut. Governor (for which there were three candidates) and a Legislature largely Republican in both branches, is something to crow over. Little Rhody has done well—very well. All honor to her.

The best plan for getting Northern people to immigrate South is to build first-rate roads and to have free schools six months in the year.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

There is a good deal of truth in the above. Our roads are nearly all made, but they are badly neglected. With but little expense and proper care they can be repaired and kept in good condition and made the best roads we have seen in any country North, West or South. As for the Schools, they too have been neglected, but the attention of the people is now being directed to them, and ere long we hope to be able to announce that the machinery is in good working order.

Dress has been the chief occupation of woman ever since the invention of fig-leaf aprons in the garden of Eden. *Mrs. Woolson's "Woman in American Society."*

In defense of the sex we would state that it is by no means true that most women consider themselves as sent into the world for the display of silk gowns and lace shawls. Many, very many feel that they have a higher mission than to act the part of a milliners block. And they are nobly filling their mission in the world.

The requirement of unanimity in twelve men on a jury is coming to be justly regarded as preposterous. HALLAM in his "History of the Middle Ages" pronounced it so. Indeed jury trial itself is sinking into disrepute among thoughtful men, and lawyers as well as laymen regard the system as rather a protection to criminals than society.

There is a contest going on in Illinois between the Farmers and the Railroads. The former are combining to protect themselves against the extortions of the latter. The struggle is claimed to be one between the railway managers and the people who make railroads and are taxed for their support.

Somebody has written a work entitled "Useful Hints for Ugly Girls."—*Ex.*

Were we a betting man we would not be afraid to wager our bottom dollar that the book has the smallest circulation of any literary production in the country.

The Mobile *Register* has an article headed "Wanted—A Statesman!" Yes, that's what's the matter with us.—*Mississippi Register.*

As the editors of both papers are ladies, the want is not a singular one.

A female student of medicine wants $20 to buy a man to cut up.—*Ex.*

We have heard of women who could cut up a man much cheaper than that.

A Duel Between Two Editors Prevented.

From a special from Norfolk, Va., to the Richmond *Inquirer*, bearing date of 29th, ult., we learn the following particulars of a proposed duel between two editors of the former place:

"Last night, about 10½ o'clock, J. B. Walters, Esq., associate editor of the Norfolk *Journal*, was arrested by Mayor Ludlow, Lieutenant Benson, and Sergeant Frost, under the duelling act. It appears that Mr. Walters had challenged Capt. James B. Hope, editor of the *Virginian*, for certain emphatic language in a political controversy between the two papers. When Mr. Walters was arrested he questioned the authority of the Mayor to do so without a warrant, but that document was at hand, and the gentleman gracefully submitted to the force of circumstances and was placed under bonds in the sum of $5,000 not to fight in the State or out of it, or commit any breach of the peace for twelve months. S. R. Borum, comptrolling director and editor of the *Journal*, became security for Mr. Walters.

This morning Capt. James Baron Hope, editor of the *Virginian*, was arrested by the Mayor in person, and put under bond the same as Mr. Walters, Hon. John Goode, Jr., becoming his security. The arrangements were all complete for the parties to leave Portsmouth, at 6 o'clock this morning for the North Carolina line, where the fight was to take place."

An Act to Prohibit the Sale of Spirituous Liquor within One Mile of Winfall, in Perquimans County.

The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact.

SEC. 1. That it shall be unlawful for any person or persons to sell, dispose of, or deliver any sort or kind of Spirituous Liquors within one mile of Winfall, in Perquimans County.

SEC. 2. That any person violating this Act shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and that any person convicted of said violation before the Superior Court of Law, shall be fined Seventy-five Dollars, or imprisoned five months, or both, at the discretion of the Court.

SEC. 3. That this Act shall be in force from and after its ratification.

In General Assembly read three times and ratified this 3d day of March, 1873.

J. L. ROBINSON, Speaker of House.
C. H. BROGDEN, Pres't of Senate.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,
Office Secretary of State,
Raleigh, April 2d, 1873.

I, William H. Howerton, Secretary of State, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy from the original Act on file in this Office.

W. H. HOWERTON, Secretary.

Summary of News.

Dogs killed $80,000 worth of sheep in Kentucky last year.

Congressman Eli Perry will buy United States bonds with his back-pay, and then cancel the bonds.

The Kennebec River icemen have housed 300,000 tones of "cold comfort" for this Summer.

Somebody has already nominated the Democratic Presidential ticket for 1876. It is Charles Sumner and Alexander H. Stephens.

That woman was a philosopher who, when she lost her husband, said she had one great consolation—she knew where he was o'nights!

Oakes Ames cheerfully accepted his extra pay, and assured the Seargent-at-Arms that he should put it where it would do the most good.

There is a verdict on record in one of the counties of Minnesota, rendered in a murder trial, in the following words: "Not guilty if he'll quit the State."

The will of Napoleon has been proved in England. His personal property is sworn at under £120,000, and this he leaves to the Empress without reserve. To the Prince Imperial there is but one bequest, the Imperial Crown.

An exchange mentions a case beyond the ordinary oculists. It is that of a young lady who, instead of a common pupil, has a college student in her eye.

A Kansas City paper has the following advertisement: Wanted.—A liberal salary will be paid for the loan of a young babe. Address box 1,097.

Pretty teacher: "Now, Susie Wells, can you tell me what is meant by a miracle?" Susie: "Yes, teacher. Mother says if you don't marry the new parson 'twill be a mirracle!"

Michigan furnished only two votes for the $5,000 back pay appropriation—Messrs. Stoughton (Rep) and Southerland (Dem.)— neither of them has a political future, and therefore felt no responsibility.

A young woman once married a man by the name of Dust, against the wish of her parents, After a short time they began to quarrel, and she attempted to return to her father's house, but he refused to receive her, saying, "Dust thou art and unto Dust thou shalt return." And she got up and "dusted."

A lady in Portland, Me., who met with a painful accident the other day, found the pain very much aggravated by being spoken of in the newspaper as "a denizen of Portland." This reminds us of the woman who was struck speechless with rage when Dr. Johnson called her "a preposition."

The executors of the will of the late Thaddeus Steavens will sell the Caledonia, Iron Works, with about 16,000 acres of land, and will devote the money thus procured to the establishment, under his will, of a home for poor orphans, in Lancaster Pennsylvania.

The Amusement Cure is liberally resorted to in the McLean Insane Aylum, near Boston. The Treasurer, in his last annual account, charges the sum of $9,650 to the item of "diversions," which are used with the happiest effect in ameliorating the condition of the inmates.

The postmistress at Villa Ridge, Illinois, has resigned in order to get married. In her letter of resignation that she sent to the Postmaster General, she remarked, that she would rather have one man where she cold lay hands on him when she wanted him, than to be handling mail bags irregularly on a small salary, and getting sworn at by people who expected letters that never came,

A Richmond correspondent informs the Norfolk *Journal* that the House bill to incorporate the New York, Norfolk and Charleston Railroad was called up in the Senate and passed that body without amendment, The *Journal* learns from private sources that the headquarters of the company will be at once established in that city and the work of engineering, surveys, &c., be directed from that point.

A man by the name of Joseph T. Curry, the "New Dispensation" Prophet, who settled in Georgia with a colony about a year ago, has been convicted of licentiousness and gross immoral conduct by the Superior Court of Columbia county in that State. This Apostle is originally from Massachusetts, but finding a better field in Georgia, as he supposed, for the promulgation of his religious tenets, he repaired thither. Alas! he finds himself suddenly checked in his polygimous career by the rude sentence of a Georgia court.

A boiler in the steam saw mill of Colville & Co in Washington N. C. exploded on the 2 inst. Two men and one woman were killed, and one man and a woman were seriously wounded. All the killed and wounded are negroes. One of the boilers was carried over 100 yards to Front-st., killing a woman in its course. Another was hurled nearly half way across Cape Fear River. The cause of the explosion is not definitely known, though it is generally supposed to have been low water in the boilers.

A clerk in the Springfield post-office is now in the last stage of drowth, occasioned by his own gallantry in volunteering to lick and adjust postage stamps for the young ladies who came to his window. He is very charming, and the girls loved dearly to see him run out his tongue and moisten a stamp, and the first thing the unfortunate young man knew he had exhausted his salivary secretions, and was as dry as a boarding-house pie. The doctor says unless he can start the sap in his system he is a goner.

GOOD WORDS
FOR THE

PAIN-KILLER.

We can confidently recommend the Pain-Killer.—*Toronto Baptist.*

It is the most effectual remedy we know of for Aches; Pains, Flesh Wounds, &c.—*St. Johns News P. Q.*

We advise that every family should have so effectual and speedy a Pain-Killer.—*Amherst N. S. Gazette.*

Our own experience is that a bottle of Pain-Killer is the best Physician a traveler can have.—*Hamilton Spectator.*

For both internal and external application have found it of great value.—*Chris. Era.*

A medicine no family should be without.—*Montreal Transcript.*

Could hardly keep house without it.—*Ed Voice.*

Should be kept in every house in readiness for sudden attacks of sickness.—*Chris. Press.*

No article ever obtained such unbounded popularity.—*Salem Observer.*

One of the most reliable specifics of the age.—*Old North State.*

Its power is wonderful and unequaled in relieving the most severe pain.—*Burlington Sentinel.*

An indispensible article in the medicine chest.—*N. Y. Examiner.*

It will recommend itself to all who use it.—*Georgia Enterprize.*

Is extensively used and sought after as a really useful medicine.—*Journal St. John, N. B.*

No medicine has acquired such a reputation; it has real merit.—*Newport Daily News.*

One of the most useful medicines; have used it and dispensed it for the past twenty years.—*Rev. Wm. Ward, Assam.*

The most valuable medicice now in use.—*Penn. Organ.*

It is really a valuable medicine, and used by many physicians—*Boston Traveler.*

We always keep it where we can put our hands on it in the dark, if need be.—*Rev. C. Hibbard, Burmah.*

One of the few articles that are just what they pretend to be.—*Brunswick Telegraph.*

In my mountain travels is of so universal application as Pain-Killer.—*Rev. H. M. Bixby, Burmah.*

PERRY DAVIS & SON,
MANF'S AND PROP'S,
137 HIGH ST., PROVIDENCE, R. I.
111 SYCAMORE ST., CINCINNATI, O.
377 ST. PAUL ST., MONTREAL, CANADA.
17 SOUTHAMPTON, ROW, LONDON, ENG.
Mar. 26,-1m.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

SAW LOGS WANTED.

The new firm that has purchased the large Saw Mill of the Land and Lumber Company at Elizabeth City want a large number of Saw Logs, and will pay the highest price for them delivered at their Mill.

Persons having good logs to sell will do well to see either D. C. LIPPINCOTT, at the "Albemarle House," or
42-tf. Dr. WM. UNDERWOOD.

NOTICE!

DRY GOODS, CLOTHING, SHOES, HATS, NOTIONS, GROCERIES, HARDWARE, PATENT MEDICINES, CROCKERY AND TINWARE:

CAEAP FOR CASHAT

O. C. HORTON & CO'S.,
S. E. Corner Road and Lawrence Streets.
19-1y. ELIZABETH CITY, N. C.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.

District Court of the United States, For the Albemarle District. } In Bankruptcy.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That on the 5th, day of Apr. A. D. 1873. warrant in Bankruptcy was issued out of the District Court of the United Statesfor the Albemarle District of North Carolina, against the estate of J. E. White of Perquimans Co., and State of N. Carolina, who has been adjudged bankrupt on his own petition; that the payment of any debts, and delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt, to him or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him are forbiden by law, that a meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt to prove their debts and to choose one or more assignees on his state, will be held a Court of Bankruptcy to be holden at Elizabeth City, N. C., before T. W. Costen Esq., Register in Bankruptcy, on the 17th day of April A. D. 1873 at 10 o'clock A. M.

S. T. CARROW. *U. S. Marshal,*
WM. GLOVER, *Deputy U. S. M. as Messenger.*
42—3t.

NEW

BOOT AND SHOE

STORE

AT

ELIZABETH CITY, N. C.

THE LARGEST AND BEST SELECTED STOCK OF BOOTS AND SHOES EVER BROUGHT TO ELIZABETH CITY

CONSISTING OF

LADIES' KID, CLOTH AND MOROCCO GAITERS,
MISSES AND CHILDREN SHOES
GENTS' MOROCCO, CLOTH, CALF AND KIP BOOTS,

The best Sewed Women's Shoes ever offered in this market.

CUSTOM WORK

Done at short notice, and by the best Phil'a delphia Workmen.

REPAIRING

NEATLY AND PROMPTLY DONE

LEATHER & FINDINGS

AT THE LOWEST RATES.

ROAD STREET, NEXT DOOR TO BELL'S GUN STORE.

WM. GREEN.
April 9th, 1873.-1yr.

GOVERNMENT SALE OF VALUABLE PROPERTY IN THE TOWN OF PLYMOUTH. N. C.

By authority of the Honorable the Secretary of the Treasury I shall offer for sale at Public Auction in the town of Plymouth, N. C., on the First day of May, 1873 at Twelve o'clock M. the *building* known as the United States Custom House in said Town of Plymouth together with the *lot* of *Land* on which said building is situated.

This valuable property consists of a *three story Brick building* (in a damaged condition) with cellar basement. The building is *Forty feet* wide and *Sixty feet* long The Lot (No. 149), on which the same is situated is *Fifty feet* in width and *One Hundred feet* in length, extending from Water Street to the River This is considered an advantageous stand for business purposes, and the lot is valuable for commercial occupations, being conveniently situated on the Roanoke River, and having excellent wharf privileges.

TERMS OF SALE.

One Fifth Cash, the balance in Four equal Annual Payments, the first of which shall be made on the first day of May, 1874, with interest at six per cent from day of sale until paid. All bids to be made subject to the approval of the Secretary of the Treasury; the Department reserving the right to reject any, or all bids if deemed to the interest of the Government to do so. A certificate of sale will be given to the successful bidder upon the acceptance of his bid by the Department and the deed executed when the last payment shall have been made.

CHARLES G. MANNING
Collector of Customs,
Port of Edenton, District of Albemarle, N. C.,
Mar. 28th, 1873.
41-4t.

THE GREAT REFORM IN LIFE INSURANCE.

INAUGURATED BY THE

National Life Insurance Company of Chicago. Reform and Economy is the order of the day, and the *people* have hailed the *National Life* as the pioneer in furnishing insurance at such rates as will enable them to provide for their families in case of death, without impoverishing them during life.

W. J. Lumsden, M. D., is the Medical Examiner. We insure in amounts from $1,000 to $10,000.

For information call on
WILLIAMS & FOREMAN,
Agents in Elizabeth City, N. C.

We refer to the following citizens of this City.
F. S. PROCTOR. R. F. OVERMAN, Cashier;
C. W. GRANDY, Atty. at Law. COL. W. F. MARTIN, Atty. at Law.
☞ Office over G. W. Bell Store on Road Street. 41—tf.

SHERIFF'S NOTICE.

By virtue of an execution in my hands against the lands of Matchet Taylor for taxes due for the year 1872, bounded by the lands of John Jacobs Jas. B Spence, the Canal bank and the road that leads to the Old Lebanon, I shall on the 1st day of May next sell said land before the Court House door in Camden County, or so much thereof as will satisfy said execution and cost.

WM. AYDLETT, Sheriff.
D. D. FEREBEE, Deputy Sheriff.
Mar. 31st 1873.
41-4t.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.

Estate of F. W. Bond.

The undersigned hereby gives notice that he has been chosen Assignee of F. W. Bond of Chowan County, who has been adjudged a Bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolina.

D. C. WINSTON, Assignee,
37-4t. Windsor N. C.

THE FINEST TABLE CORN for the SOUTH.

LARGE YORK SWEET CORN—An improved variety, of *very large size, rich sugary flavor*, and *exceedingly productive. Packed (by mail.) 25 cents.*

Also a general assortment of select Garden and Flower Seeds—$1., $2., $3., $4., and $5. collections of the choicest varieties mailed to any address on receipt of remittance.

Refer (by permission) to Hon. J. S. Black, Washington, D. C., Weiser, Son & Carl, Bankers, York, Pa.

EDW'D J. EVANS & CO.,
Nurserymen and Seedsmen, York, Pa.
38—3t.

LONG STAPLE COTTON SEED FOR SALE.

I have a quantity of very fine long staple Cotton seed, grown from seed imported from Mississippi, for sale. I will deliver it in bags free of charge, for $1 per bushel. The Cotton from this seed sells from 1½ to 2cts per pound more than other cotton.

F. W. BOND.
Edenton, N. C., Mar. 12, 1873.
4t.

KATHAIRON

Only 50 Cents per Bottle.

It promotes the GROWTH, PRESERVES the COLOR, and increases the Vigor and BEAUTY of the HAIR.

OVER THIRTY YEARS AGO LYON'S KATHAIRON FOR THE HAIR was first placed in the market by Professor E. Thomas Lyon, a graduate of Princeton College. The name is derived from the Greek, "KATHRO," signifying to *cleanse, purify, rejuvenate, or restore.* The favor it has received, and the popularity it has obtained, is unprecedented and incredible. It increases the GROWTH and BEAUTY of the HAIR. It is a delightful dressing. It eradicates Dandruff. It prevents the Hair from turning gray. It keeps the head cool, and gives the hair a rich, soft, glossy appearance. It is the SAME in QUALITY and QUALITY as it was over a QUARTER of a CENTURY AGO, and is sold by all Druggists and Country Stores at **only Fifty Cents per Bottle.**

Woman's Glory is Her Hair.
LYON'S
KATHAIRON

SPRING 1873.

BRODRICK & SMITH,

KEEP CONSTANTLY ON HAND

A FULL LINE OF

General Merchandise.

Whalesale & Retail.

DRY GOODS,	DRESS GOODS,
NOTIONS,	CLOTHS,
CLOTHING,	HATS & CAPS,
BOOTS & SHOES,	ROPES,
GROCERIES,	PROVISIONS,
HARDWARE,	STOVES,
WOOD & WILLOW WARE,	
GLASS & QUEENS WARE,	
ETC., ETC.	

A LARGE CARGO OF

COAL

JUST RECEIVED.

Country Produce taken in exchange for Goods.

BRODRICK & SMITH,

WATER STREET.

State of North Carolina, Pasquotank County. } In Superior Court.

M. W. Bufkin *against* F. Baird and J. S. Roper, partners doing business in the name and style of Baird & Roper. } Summons.

It appearing to the satisfaction of this Court that F. Baird and J. S. Roper, the defendants above named are not residents of the State of North Carolinia, and that a summons has been regularly issued to the Sheriff of Camden Co., and the same returned with the endorsement not to be found, and an order of publication having been granted for six weeks in the North Carolinian a newspaper published in the town of Elizabeth City. The defendants are therefore notified to appear at the next term of said Court, to be held on the 10th, Monday after the first Monday in March, and answer the complaint, a copy of which will be deposited in the clerks office of said Court; and let them take notice that if they fail to answer said complaint the plaintiff will take judgement against them for the sum of $2500.00 with interest thereon.

Witness Wm. E. Vaughan, Clerk of said Court at office in Elizabeth City, this the 26th, day of March A. D. 1873.

WM. E. VAUGHAN, Clerk Superior Court.
41-6w.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

ALBEMARLE HOUSE

OF

ELIZABETH CITY, N. C.

JUST OPENED!

BUILT IN 1872

With all the Modern Improvements and Facilities for Comfort and Convenience.

Accomodations adequate for 200 guests.

Particular attention shown to people desirous of spending the winter in the South.

Board $2.00 Per Day.

SPECIAL ATTENTION SHOWN TO VISITORS AND TRAVELERS.

W. H. SMITH, Proprietor.
Jan. 1st, 1873.

NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.

District Court of the United States, For the Albemarle District. } In Bankruptcy.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That on the 24th day of Mar. A. D. 1873, warrant in Bankruptcy was issued out of the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolina, against the estate of J. A. Douglas, Chowan County, State of North Carolina, who have been adjudged a Bankrupt on creditors petition; that the payment of any debts, and delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt, to them or for their use, and the transfer of any property by them are forbidden by law, that a meeting of the creditors of the said bankrupt to prove their debts and to choose one or more assignees of their state, will be held at Elizabeth City, N. C., before T. W. Costen, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy, on the 17th day of Apr., A. D. 1873, at 10 o'clock, A. M.

S. T. CARROW, *U. S. Marshal.*
Wm. GLOVER, *Deputy U. S. M. as Messanger.*
40—3t.

S.T-1860-X

IS PURELY A VEGETABLE PREPARATION, composed simply of well-known ROOTS, HERBS and FRUITS, combined with other properties, which in their nature are alterative, Aperient, Nutritious, Diuretic, Alterative and Anti-Bilious. The whole is preserved in a sufficient quantity of spirit from the SUGAR CANE to keep them in any climate, which makes the

PLANTATION BITTERS

one of the most desirable Tonics and Cathartics in the world. They are intended strictly as a

Temperance Bitters

only to be used as a medicine, and always according to directions.

They are the sheet-anchor of the feeble and debilitated. They act upon a diseased liver, and stimulate to such a degree that a healthy action is at once brought about. As a remedy to which Women are especially subject it is superseding every other stimulant. As a Spring and Summer Tonic they have no equal. They are a mild and gentle Purgative as well as Tonic. They Purify the Blood. They are a splendid Appetizer. They make the weak strong. They purify and invigorate. They cure Dyspepsia, Constipation and Headache. They act as a specific in all species of disorders which undermine the bodily strength and break down the animal spirits.

Depot, 53 Park Place, New York.

State of North Carolina, Currituck County. }

Hodgers Gallop, vs Robert B. Brantley } JUSTICE'S COURT. Before H. W. Beasley J.

This suit is instituted to recover of the defendant the sum of Forty-five dollars and Forty five cents which the defendant Robert B. Brantley, assumed to pay, and has not paid, a summons having been issued directed to Thos. Baum, Constable, made returnable before me upon the 21st day of Febuary, 1873, which summons was returned by the officer. Not found.

Oath having been made before me that the said Robert B. Bently is a non-resident of this State or conceals himself so that the ordinary process cannot be served upon him, the said Robert B. Bently will take notice that an attacl ment has been issued against the Real and personal property, in Atlantic Township of which he is the owners or reputed owner, made returnable before me, at Kitty Hawk, upon Saturday the 12th. day of April, 1873, at eleven o'clock, at which time he will appear and show cause, why judgment should not be rendered and execution issued for said amount of Forty-five dollars and Forty-five cents and cost and interest that may accrue.

Given under my hand this 21st day of Febuary 1873.

H. W. BEASLEY, J. P.
39-4t

DR. BUTT CAN SHOW YOU THE FINEST and largest display of perfumery, ever offered for sale.

NEW ADVERTISENMETS

BANKRUPTCY.

THE FIFTY PER CENT. CLAUSE.

As there seems to be a misunderstanding in regard to the effect of the provision of the Bankrupt Act, commonly called the 50 per cent. clause, we publish the following extracts from the Act:

The second clause of the tairty-third section as amended by the Act of July 27, 1868, provides "that no discharge shall be granted to a debtor whose assets *shall not be equal* to fifty per centum of the *claims proved against* his estate upon which he *shall* be *liable as the principal debtor*, unless the assent of writing of a majority in number and value of his creditors *to whom he shall have become liable as principal debtor, and who shall have proved their claims*, filed in the case at or before the time of hearing of the application for discharge.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled—that the provision of the second clause of the thirty-third section of said act as amended by the first section of an act in amendment thereof, approved July 27th, 1868, shall not apply to those debts from which the bankrupt seeks a discharge which were contracted prior to January 1st, 1869.

The true meaning is not that a bankrupt must be able to pay fifty per cent of all his debts, before he can obtain a discharge, as many believe; but that his estate, in the hands of his assignee, at the time of the discharge, must *be equal, to fifty per cent.* of the amount of the debts.

1. That he owes as *principal;*
2. That have been *proved* against his estate in bankruptcy; and
3. That he has contracted *since* the 31st day of December, 1868.

Or, if a majority in number and value of those who have proved their debts, to whom the bankrupt is indebted as principal, on debts contracted subsequent to Dec., 31, 1868, consent in writing to the discharge—such bankrupt may be discharged forever from all his debts.

If a debtor, owing three thousand dollars as principal, twenty-five hundred of which indebtedness was contracted prior to January 1, 1869, and five hundred subsequent to that time, files his petition in bankruptcy, and all his creditors prove against him, and there are no assets in the hands of the assignee, the petitioner will be entitled to a discharge; but it will be a bar only to the debts contracted prior to January 1, 1869.—If no creditors prove, the discharge will be good against *all* debts, whether contracted before or after January 1, 1869.

The practical effect in bankruptcy-cases generally is, that creditors fail to prove their debts, finding it ordinarily unprofitable. They have had, in a large majority of instances, heretofore the trouble and expense of making proofs, without receiving any return. The 50 per cent. bugbear, therefore when viewed in the light of the law and common-sense, disappears.

EXEMPTIONS IN BANKRUPTCY.

The exemptions under the 14th section of the Bankrupt Act are as follows:

1. Household and Kitchen furniture to an amount not exceeding $500,00
2. Wearing apparel of Bankrupt and family.
3. Uniform, &c., if he has been a soldier in the United States Army.
4. Personal property of the value of $500 or to be selected by the Bankrupt.
5. A Homestead and the dwelling and buildings used therewith, not exceeding in value the sum of $1000,00; or in lieu thereof, any lot in any city, town or village not exceeding in value the sum of $1000,000.
6. The reversionary interest in the Homestead lands.

In laying off the Exemptions in some Districts, the Assignees are ordered to accept, and abide by, any assignment of a homestead which has been made by a Sheriff under the State laws; or which has been assigned upon the application of a debtor in accordance with the laws of North Carolina. Where no such assignment of homestead has been made, the assignee will proceed to set apart such homestead, and make the other exemptions according to the rules of the bankrupt Court.

The report of such exemptions when made by the assignee can be excepted to by the bankrupt or by any creditor, within twenty days after the allotment of such exempt property.

EFFECT OF THE DISCHARGE IN BANKRUPTCY UPON JUDGMENT.

It is the opinion of many of our best lawyers that the discharge in bankruptcy, discharges judgment debts existing against the bankrupt at the time of filing his petition, and that therefore the liens existing by virtue of such judgments, upon homesteads are wiped out, and cannot afterwards be enforced. In fine, that the practical effect of the discharge, is to leave a man, whose homestead was encumbered by judgments, free from all his debts, of every nature, and the owner in fee simple of such homestead.

Again many lawyers, equally prominent in the profession, are of opinion that such will not be the effect of the discharge. That the homestead, will still be liable under the judgments and that when it determines under our State laws, the judgment creditor may enforce his lien and collect his debts.

To place this matter beyound doubt, the following rule has been adopted for the benefit of petitioners who are not willing to run any risk.

That the petitioning debtor may file his petition in the District Court, addressed to Hon. Geo. W. Brooks, asking that the judgment creditor, or creditors, show cause why the liens existing in pursuance of their judgments should not be adjusted by said court, and their present value ascertain and fixed, and the amount when so ascertained, to be made the true value of such lien or liens by the decree or judgment of said District Court, in bankruptcy.

The right to adjust such liens, is exercised in pursuance of Sec. 1. of the Bankrupt Act.

FILING PETITIONS AND SCHEDULES.

Petitions and Schedules must be in duplicate. Petitioner should sign each sheet, except oath to schedules. It is not necessary to file sheets of schedules that are not used. All papers in bankruptcy must be sworn to before a Register in Bankruptcy, U. S. Commissioner, or Clerk of the court.

The following deposit to secure costs is required at time of filing Petition. Register $50, Clerk $20, Messenger $5. Bankruptcy blanks can be had of M. B. Culpepper, Elizabeth City, prepared in sets for Two Dollars per set.

The original papers in all such cases should be sent to T. W. Costen, Register, Elizabeth City, N. C.

SMITH, DIXON & CO.

COMMISSION PAPER WAREHOUSE,
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NORTH CAROLINIAN

WEDNESDAY, APR. 9, 1873.

☞TO NORTHERN VISITORS.☜

Elizabeth City is 50 miles South East of Norfolk, Va. Parties coming here from the North should take passage on the Bay line Steamers which leave Baltimore at 4 P. M. every evening, and arrive at Portsmouth the next morning in time to connect with the Elizabeth City Steamers daily.

THIS WEEK'S ADVERTISEMENTS.

We call attention to the following new advertisement in this issue.

Notice.
Saw Logs Wanted.
Bankrupt Notice.
New Boot and Shoe Store.

Local and Personal.

☞The measles are prevailing in Perquimans and Currituck.

☞The proceedings of the Commissioners will appear next week.

☞I. A. COHN has moved his Store from Water to Road Street.

☞The swamp across the river in Camden has been on fire for several days.

☞The "Spring fever" is on the increase. We notice a number of cases

☞The young man who boasted that he could marry any girl he pleased finds that he can't please any.

☞We learn that ARTHUR L. BUTT, of New Hope is dead. He was a prominent man in that place.

☞The Act of Assembly prohibiting the sale of spirituous liquors within one mile of Winfall, is published in another column.

☞While the Fisheries on the Sound are doing unusually well, those along the River nearer the city thus far are hardly paying expenses.

☞The Rev. Mr. GUY the Methodist clergyman of Hertford, died very suddenly at that place on Sunday evening. He was about 35 years of age.

☞Eastern Star Lodge No. 18, of the Independent Order of Good Templars, will have a public installation at Ramouth Gilead Church on the 3rd of May.

☞The flower gardens are beginning to look beautiful. The poets do not exaggerate when they proclaim flowers to be the brighest things on earth.

"Gather a wreath from the garden bowers
And tell the wish of thy heart in flowers."

☞In driving through the country we see the farmers industriously engaged in planting corn and preparing for their cotton crop. A larger area than since the war will be put in cultivation this season.

☞The Federal Court will be held here on Monday week. The new District Attorney, R. C. BADGER Esq., will be in attendance, and Col. ROBERT M. DOUGLAS, the newly appointed U. S. Marshal, will be here and sworn in by Judge BROOKS.

☞The following complimentary notice of Judge ALBERTSON appears in the Raleigh *News:*

Judge Albertson is now in the city, the guest of P. F. Pescud, Sr. The Judge will, we understand, remain in the city throughout the week and open Court here on Monday next. The bar of this district is very much pleased with Judge A. and the manner in which he presides.

☞The Board of Education at their meeting on Tuesday, appointed Dr. P. JOHN, Rev. W. W. KENNEDY and WALTER F. POOL Esq., "the Board of Examiners" for Pasquotank County, as required by the 13th, section of the School law. These gentlemen will endeavor to perform their full duty and they earnestly desire the co-operation of the friends of Education.

☞On Thursday evening last. at about five and a half o'clock, an aerolite was seen by a number of citizens. It appeared, to those who saw it, to be very near this place, but we learn that the same aerial traveler was seen about the the same hour in the day at Norfolk. It probably passed near both places. Its velocity was evidently great, and the explosion that followed reminded those who heard it of a rocket when it bursts.

☞The Billiard room of the Albemarle House is the centre of attraction for many who desire an hours recreation now and then. There are quite a number of expert players in the city. Who the champion is has not yet been decided. We see that in Boston one evening last week a game was played between CLARK WILSON and FRANK DENNISON, for the championship of Massachusetts, a golden cue and a purse of $200. It was won by the latter by a score of 1,500 to 741.

☞A friend informs us that the most shocked man he has seen for some time was a certain citizen who made the discovery on last Wednesday that the neighbor from whom he had borrowed the CAROLINIAN for the last three years *had not paid for it!* When he discovered the fact he was grieved—nay indignant. Said he: "To think that I should have been so imposed on at my time of life. I tell you a man don't know who to trust in these times. The world is full of corruption, and deceit, and deviltry—chock full of it." To which we respond —'tis even so.

☞The private letter of "An old Citizen" has been received and its contents digested. We thank him for his friendly interest. Because we have been reticent is not to be taken as evidence that we have not been making careful notes of events transpiring around us and acquainting ourself with the true status of the parties referred to. Tergiversation, double dealing and deception may be practiced for a time, and successfully too, but in the end they recoil, and like the famous gun

"——aimed at duck or plover,
Rebounds and kicks their owner over."

☞We call attention to the advertisement of the new Boot and Shoe Store opened in this city. Mr. GREEN has first class workmen from Philadelphia.

☞Our Edenton friend will accept our thanks for his kind words and his prompt remittance. He is right. We *do* feel an interest in the State we have adopted as our future home. Knowing the great advantages which nature has, with lavish hand, showered upon North Carolina, and believing that her future prosperity will be bounded only by the industry, energy and enterprize of her sons, native and adopted, we zealously support every scheme of internal improvement, the tendency of which will be to foster and increase her trade and extend her commercial boundaries; every feasible enterprize which will place her more directly in communication with the great marts of the world or bring local trade, and every measure calculated to beautify and adorn her and improve the material prosperity of her people. And we are already having the gratifying evidences that our labors are not in vain.

LOCAL PORT-FOLIO.

Worn out one of his sleeves—the joker who laughed in it so often. The worst thing in boots—corns. "Seeing through a glass brightly"—is what they call it down town. "Vesper belles"—charming young ladies who attend evening church service regularly. Can't do it—an old toper trace his gin-ology. A blunderbus—kissing the wrong girl. The mitten that never fits—the one given by a lady.

Business Locals.

Newspapers by the hundred for sale at this office.

Always open—Robinson's Eating Saloon on Water Street.

Fowlers new Spring Goods have arrived. Go and examine them.

A large number of Saw logs are wanted by the new firm that has purchased the Saw Mill of the Land and Lumber Co. See their advertisement.

This is a dashing age. Everybody goes whirling through life. All are busy in the various pursuits. And when people go to Norfolk there is a place it seems almost impossible to pass without stopping, and this center of attraction is none other than the Store of Lowenburg & Jacobs, 22 & 24 Market Square.

JOB PRINTING.—
Do you want posters?
Do you want hand-bills?
Do you want business cards?
Do you want a neat bill head?
Do you want a tasty letter head?
Do you want a nice visiting card?
If so leave your orders at THE NORTH CAROLINIAN office, where they will be executed in the neatest style and the most reasonable terms.

THE NATIONAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, of Chicago enables the poorest man to provide for his family in case of death by furnishing insurance at *actual* cost with a small stated amount for expenses. Examine the National System and note the practical results of two years business, showing that: $91,349,00 was paid to the heirs of deceased members at a cost to them of only $1,473,00. If this money had been invested in old high rate companies the heirs would only have received $38,516,96 showing a saving by insuring in the National Life of Chicago of 52, 772,04. See advertisement.

WILLIAMS & FOREMAN, agents,
Road St. Elizabeth City, N. C.

Some time ago a New Hampshire farmer discovered a large toad near his beehive, actively at work catching and devouring bees. With that wonderful forbearance and kindness of heart characteristic of all New Hampshire farmers, he tenderly pickeed up the frog and carried him a half mile away from the hive, The next morning that identical frog was back again at the old stand, actively at work as before. He again took him up, carried him a long mile away, and dropped him. But in twenty-four hours he was back again, reducing the number of bees as sucessfully as ever.

There is a venerable old negro living on the farm of Mr. William Wise, on the Western Branch, who is the very embodiment of "a hale and hearty old man." He is eighty-five years of age, has had twenty-five children, four wives, sixty-five grand children, and outlived three masters. He has never drank any intoxicating liquor stronger than cider in his life, and says he can run as fast and jump a ten rail fence as quickly as any man in the county. He looks good for twenty years at least.—*Norfolk Journal.*

The Greensboro *Patriot* of the 2nd inst. has the following: "While on the train yesterday we met returning from the North a gentleman who resides in Surry county, who had gone North to buy machinery for a mill, and was returning minus $858 in cash which he had been duped into lending a man he had met an hour before and whom he had never seen before in his life.

"He carries home as a visible reminder six twenty dollar counterfeit gold pieces that it is not wise to lend $858 to an entire stranger."

That irrepressible humbug, George Francis Train, who is now in prison in New York, was carried before Judge Brady, in the Court of Oyer and Terminer, on Friday last, on motion of his counsel to discharge him from custody or to be admitted to bail. After an elaborate address from Mr. Chatfield in support of the motion, the Court decided to hold Mr. Train to bail in the sum of $1,000; but the prisoner indignantly spurned the boon, and chose rather to return to the Tombs than to have his liberty restored on such conditions. He will be brought before a jury to determine whether or not he is *compos mentis.*

A marvellous thing is this love of women, as is shown in a little St. Louis romance. A Mr. Hennessey loved Charity Prince many years ago, when both were young, and Charity Prince loved him. But Charity's charming sister Carrie came between them, and he was estranged from his first love and married Carrie. For fifty long years the married pair lived together, and in the eyes of the world were a happy married pair. Not long ago Carrie died, and Mr. Hennessey yearned for his first love, who had yearned for him continually during all that long half century. A few days ago they were married, and the bride wept for joy a whole day. He was eighty and she was seventy-eight.

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State of North Carolina, } In Superior Court
Pasquotank County, }

Jno. L. Hinton, }
vs } SUMMONS
Wm. H. Sawyer, }

In this case it appearing to the Court that the defendant is not a resident of this State and the summons having been issued to the Sheriff and returned not to be found and an order for service of summons by publication having been made, the defendant is hereby notified, to appear before the Judge of the Superior Court, at the term of the Court to be held at the Court House in Elizabeth City, on the 10, Monday, after the 1st Monday, in March 1873, and a nswer the complaint which will be deposited in the Clerk's office, within the first three days of the said term; and the defendant will take notice, that if he fail to answer the said complaint within that time, the plaintiff will take judgment against him for $500,00 with interest from May, 10th, 1867, until paid and for cost of suit.

The defendant is further notified, that a warrant of attachment in this case has been issued against him returnable to the same term of Court, for said sum of money, and interest as named above, the same being upon a note or bond given by said defendant payable to said plaintiff for the sum of $500.00 with interest from May 10, 1867.

Witness William E. Vaughan, Clerk of said Court, at office in Elizabeth City. the 10, Mouday after the first Monday in October 1872.

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Estate of L. W. Thrower.

The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of L. W. Thrower of Plymouth, N. C., who has been adjudged a Bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolina.

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Plymouth, N. C.,
Mar. 1st. 1873.
37—8t.

State North Carolina, } In Superior Court.
County Pasquotank, }

Wm. G. Pool, Admd. of Sarah McDaniel, Plaintiff

Against

Joseph S. Cannon, Defendant.

It appearing to the Court that the Defendant Jos. S. Cannon, is not a resident of the State of North Carolina, and the summons having been issued to the Sheriff and returned not to be found and an order for service of summons by publication having been made the Defendant is hereby notified to appear before the said Court at the next term to be held for said County on the 10, Monday after the 1st Monday in March next then and there, to show cause why the relief in the premises shall not be granted.

W. E. Vaughan Clerk of said Court at office in Elizabeth City, the 10th, Monday after the 1st Monday in October, 1872.

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31—3m—(Rowell.

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Estate of E. J. Barco.

The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of E. J. Barco, of Camden County, who has been adjudged a Bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolina.

JAMES L. BALL, Assignee,
34-4t. Elizabeth City, N. C.

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.

Estate of J. W. Squire.

The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of J. W. Squire of Northampton County, who has been adjudged a Bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolina.

W. CARSTARPHEN, Assignee.
37-4t. Gaston, N. C.

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.

Estate of Asa Bishop

The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of Asa Bishop of Halifax County, who has been adjudged a Bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolina.

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M. B. CULPEPPER, Sec'ty. P. JOHN, Chairman.

NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.

District Court of the United States, } In Bankruptcy
for the Albemarle District. }

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That on the 26th day of Mar. A. D. 1873, warrant in Bankruptcy was issued out of the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolina, against the estate of Andrew J. Sills, of Halifax Co., and State of N. Carolina, who has been adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition; that the payment of any debts, and delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt, to him or for his use; and the transfer of any property of by him are forbidden by law, that a meeting of the creditors of the said bankrupt to prove their dobts and to choose one or more assignees of his state, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy to be holden at Elizabeth City, N. C., before T. W. Costen, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy, on the 17th day of April, A. D. 1873, at 10 o'clock A. M.

S. T. CARROW, U. S. *Marshal,*
WM. GLOVER *Deputy U. S. M. as Messenger*
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District Court of the United States, } In Bankruptcy:
For the Albemarle District. }

NOTICE IS HETEBY GIVEN, That on the 26th, day of Mar. A. D. 1873, warrant in Bankruptcy was issued out of the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of N. Carolina, against the estate of B. J. Alsbrook, of Halifax Co., and State of N. Carolina, who has been adjudged a bankrupt on his own pefition; that the payment of any debts, and delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt, to him or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him are forbiden by law, that a meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt to prove their debts and to choose one or more assignees of his state, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy to be holden at Elizabeth City, N. C., before T. W. Costen, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy, on the 17th day of Apr., A. D. 1873, at 10 o'clock A. M.

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A majority of the farms throughout the country are not paying three per cent. annually on their estimated values, and still these farms are year after year kept under the same routine of management. A low per cent. is returned by tillage, when higher could be obtained by grazing; others give a meagre income by grazing, when tillage would pay bountifully. Others are used for mixed farming when especially adapted to some certain brands. Mixed farming, in the broad sense of the term, is adapted to but few localities, and there is wisdom in the arrangement. One branch of husbandry well followed makes efficiency in that line, and the interchange of products facilitates the growth of enterprise, and gives a healthy tone to all departments of home industry. Then the first thing which farmers should do is to determine by experiment to what their lands are best adapted, taking nature of soil, convenience to market, &c., into consideration, and then make the particular line or lines the leading feature of their avocation, regardless of their particular tastes respecting the different branches. Because this matter is not thoroughly settled may be attributed very many of the failures in farming.

A continuous shifting without taking notes of results is as unprofitable, and perhaps more so, than sticking to an unremunerative line. Some men are always moving by the influence of a fluctuating market, as the mercury in a thermometer by the influence of the temperature. If wool takes a sudden turn upward, there is a headlong plunge for sheep, high prices paid, and dairy cows sold at a sacrifice, and vice versa. It requires a number of years to get well established in any line of husbandry. If in dairy or wool-growing the herds and flocks must be sorted and reported before either is brought up to a proper standard of excellence, and the sacrifice of frequent changes is more than generally realized.

Another very great defect in agricultural pursuits, is a very general habit of always being behind the work. It must be evident to every one that the man who begins early to make selections for Spring sowing, getting those seed which are best adapted to his soil and latitude, and those which will yield the greatest return per acre, will succeed better than he who delays all this, and makes no effort to secure them until the soil has been fully prepared. In the latter case, ten chances to one, if poor seed is not finally used, and meagre returns made.

Some farmers complain that they are always behind with their work on account of not being forehanded enough to carry on their premises independently; that they have to help their neighbors in seed time and harvest before attending to their own farm interest, in order to procure funds and help to do their work with. Now, the man who gets into this rut is destined to remain there just so long as he has not resolution enough to extricate himself by a change of practice. Than to live in such a condition of servitude and slavery, he had better pay four ties them with value of seed, tools and help, and the rage to do it, and then keep fully up time. Here and there, all over the country let the season be what it may, will be found every Summer inferior fields of grain, the result of bad seed or late sowing, and spindling corn from late planting. In Winter will be found upon these farms poor stock, because fed hay which was not cut until it had lost nearly all of its nutritious element. The loss attending such management as this one year should be a lesson to the one who suffers it, but it is not, for as before stated, he thinks that his circumstances will not allow a different course. The husbandman who is always behind time in his farm operations is, in addition to the inconveniences alluded to subject to the tricks of sharpers in the commercial world. As soon as any article of produce is marketable it must, through the over pressing demand for money, be sold, let prises range as they may, and this subjugation of a class has an effect more detirmental upon the produce market than any other influence brought to bear upon it. So a whole community is afflicted by the madvertency of a class. G. E. B.

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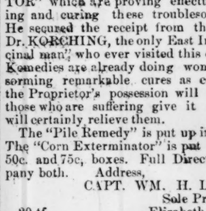

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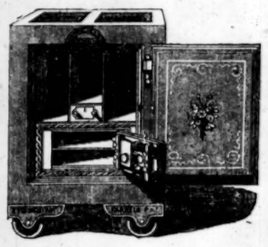

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